# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# CIVIL AVIATION
# LOK SABHA

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SUSPENSION OF AAI OFFICIALS
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**Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state:**

(a) whether several officials of Airports Authority of India (AAI) have been suspended;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether serious charges have been levelled against these officials working in the said authority; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken by the Government in this regard so far?

## Answer

MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI AJIT SINGH)

(a)to(d): No Madam. Presently, only 20 officials are under suspension / deemed suspension. These officials have been suspended on account of disciplinary cases pending against them.The charges against these officials relate to demanding and accepting illegal gratification, embezzlement /mishandling o f cash, deploying non-ATC personnel for handling ATC functions, issues relating to facilitating pilots to obtain commercial pilot license, involvement in customs related cases in the Cargo complex and cases relating to bigamy, dowry, etc. Action has been initiated against these officials under the Conduct Rules of Airports Authority of India.